Year Group: RECEPTION Term: Spring 1 2024 Topic: Let's Explore!

	WEEK 1 8/1/24	WEEK 2 15/1/24	WEEK 3 22/1/24	WEEK 4 29/1/24	WEEK 5 5/2/24	WEEK 6 12/2/24			
Events									
CL		e able to talk about familiar boo		Children in Reception (DM) Use new vocabulary through the day. Articulate their ideas and thoughts in well-formed sentences Describe events in some detail Listen to and talk about stories to build familiarity and understanding. Listen to and talk about selected non-fiction to develop a deep familiarity with new knowledge and vocabulary.					
	Rhymes: The wheels on the bus London Bridge is falling	g down							
	Vocabulary: full, important, mess, handsome, silliest, lonely, powerful, cosy tucked, up, tall, London, buildings, traffic, bus stop, passengers, garden, pond, reflection, hook, winch								
	Stories: On the road with Mavis and Marge by Niamh Sharkey You can't take an elephant on the Bus by Patricia Cleveland Peck The train ride by June Crebbin The Very Hungry Caterpillar Mr Panda's Feelings								
	Links with Literacy: What can you see in London? Discuss transport/landmarks	Links with Literacy: What has Naughty Bus done now? How would you feel if he drove through your tea? What is going to happen next?	Links with Literacy: Ask the children to talk about how feel when someone has made a mess in their classroom. What do they want to say to the naughty bus now?	Links with Literacy: Discuss how Naughty Bus has changed. Why? How is he feeling on each page?	Ask the pupils what their bedtime routine is e.g., wash face, clean teeth, put pyjamas on, read a book.	Shrove Tuesday 13th Feb What is Pancake Day? What are pancakes? Have you eaten pancakes before? Do you like them? What's your favourite topping? Taste pancakes Shrove Tuesday around the UK – link with Geography UW/Literacy			

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PSED	3-4 Year Olds (DM) Increasingly follow rules, un rules without needing an activation Talk about their feelings using Be increasingly independent teeth, using the toilet, wash	dult to remind them. ng words like 'happy', 'sad nt in meeting their own care	', 'angry' or 'worried'. e needs, e.g., brushing	Children in Reception (DM) See themselves as a valuable individual. Build constructive and respectful relationships. Express their feelings and consider the feelings of others. Manage their own needs - Personal hygiene			
	Link to Literacy Ask, does anyone use a bus locally? Has anyone been to London (or anywhere else) before? Bus role play with chairs set out, tickets, payment etc	Rules: why it is important to follow the rules? Link to school Recipe and Class Communities	Discuss why the bus is naughty and the importance of apologising/ forgiveness after an apology	Match pictures of the naughty bus at different points in the story to laminated faces which display different emotions. Ask children to talk about how they are feeling.	Talk about feeling lonely and scared- how can we help others who feel like this?	Ask the pupils what their bedtime routine is e.g., wash face, clean teeth, put pyjamas on, read a book. Discuss the importance of a good bedtime routine fir good sleep and being healthy	
PD	3-4 Year Olds (DM) Match their developing phoeonome Choose the right resources Use one-handed tools and with scissors. Use a comfortable grip with Show a preference for a december of the components of the co	to carry out their own plan equipment, for example, non- naged control when holding cominant hand.	naking snips in paper ng pens and pencils.	Children in Reception (DM) Revise and refine the fundamental movement skills they have already acquired: rolling, crawling, walking, jumping, running, hopping, skipping, climbing			
	Baked beans in builder's tray to make pathways through and to pick up using pincers Draw the route the bus takes on a map with a pencil Bedtime routines and personal hygiene (including oral health) Wash toy cars and buses using a toothbrush, water and fairy liquid In PE pupils could travel in different ways around a route (London) Create a route outside for the bikes and trikes to travel and make stops along the way You could even include a drive through car/bus wash! SPORTS COACH: Gymnastics - Jumping						
L	3-4 Year Olds (DM) Understand the five key concepts about print: - Print has meaning			Children in Reception (DM) Blend sounds into words, so that they can read short words made up of known letter– sound correspondences			

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	'We	e are mad. We are set.'	Dear Jack's mum, We are mad now. The bus made a mess. He went in the mud. He is bad. From			
		PI	nase 2 Monster Phonic	s with Phase 1 alongside		
Develop for individually Recite nurned Say one not know that you how not show 'fing Link nume objects to Make compacity. Understan	3-4 Year Olds (DM) Develop fast recognition of up to 3 objects, without having to count them individually ('subitising'). Recite numbers past 5. Say one number for each item in order: 1,2,3,4,5. Know that the last number reached when counting a small set of objects tells you how many there are in total ('cardinal principle'). Show 'finger numbers' up to 5. Link numerals and amounts: for example, showing the right number of objects to match the numeral, up to 5. Make comparisons between objects relating to size, length, weight and capacity. Understand position through words alone. Describe a familiar route. Discuss routes and locations, using words like 'in			Children in Reception (DM) Count objects, actions and sounds. Subitise Link the number symbol (numeral) with its cardinal number value. Count beyond ten. Compare numbers.		
NCETM: W	eek 11 NC	ETM: Week 12 present staircase patterns	NCETM: Week 13 Understand that 5	NCETM Week 14 See that 5 and '2 more'	NCETM Week 15 Know that it is quantity –	NCETM Week 16 Reason about which
recreate arrangem and 5 dots	in c ents of 3, 4 tha	different ways, knowing at each new 'step' is 1 are than the last.	can be partitioned (split) into different parts	make 7. Count out 6 blocks from a collection Replace 1 block and know that there are still 6	not colour or size – that determines if 1 set has more or fewer of the same type of object	numbers are 'more than' others. Consolidate their understanding of 8 as
	3D shapes. Buil	A Id with 3D shapes: Id London/town and blore 3D shapes	Create repeated patterns using 3D shapes.	Add another block to make 7	than another. Use the words 'an equal number' to say when there is the same number of items in 2 sets	'5 and 3 more' Notice when numbers are increased or decreased and explain their thinking.
Investigate shapes ca combined new shape example, triangles c	n be I to make es: for two	ITE ROSE: ck 7: Alive in Five	WHITE ROSE: Block 7: Alive in Five	Use positional language: where is the bus now?	SSM	SSM Pay for bus fare using

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	together to make square. Make a London B WHITE ROSE: Block 6: Shapes w 4 sides	Bus		WHITE ROSE: Block 8: Mass and capacity	How many people on the bus? How many if 1 gets off? (+/-) WHITE ROSE: Block 9: Growing 6,7,8	coins and match with numicon WHITE ROSE: Block 9: Growing 6,7,8		
UW	Explore collection Talk about what t Begin to make se	e all their senses in hands-on exploration of natural materials. blore collections of materials with similar and/or different properties. Ik about what they see, using a wide vocabulary gin to make sense of their own life-story and family's history.			Children in Reception (DM) Talk about members of their immediate family and community. Name and describe people who are familiar to them Draw information from a simple map. Recognise that people have different beliefs and celebrate special times in different ways. Explore the natural world around them. Describe what they see, hear and feel whilst outside. Understand the effect of changing seasons on the natural world around them.			
	Computing KAPOW: PROGRAMING BEEBOTS Understanding Arrows Geography: Compare London to Dogsthorpe Familiarise children with the name of the road the school is located in. Look at aerial views of the school setting, encouraging children to comment on what they notice, recognising buildings, open space, roads and other simple features. Compare by	Computing KAPOW: PROGRAMING BEEBOTS Introducing the BeeBot RE: How did the world begin? Look at the creation story from the bible.	Computing KAPOW: PROGRAMING BEEBOTS Simple BeeBot Programming	Computing KAPOW: PROGRAMING BEEBOTS Understanding an algorithm Science: Take Naughty Bus outside into school grounds. What plants and mini beasts does he see on his adventure? Find out what a caterpillar needs to survive and how it changes. Learning Bus: Explore caterpillars/butterflies using Augmented reality cards/VR Headsets	Computing KAPOW: PROGRAMING BEEBOTS Programming a BeeBot Science: Make a pond in the tray and explore floating and sinking	Geography: Shrove Tuesday around the UK – link with CL/Literacy Science: Look at images of day and night. Discuss the similarities and differences. Discuss bedtime routines – link to PSED		

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·	using google maps to look at							
	London.							
EAD	similar. Begin to develop Make imaginative different buildings Explore different r	e pretend play, using an object to re complex stories using small world eq e and complex 'small worlds' with bla and a park. naterials freely, to develop their idea in ideas and then decide which mat rent textures.	Children in Reception (DM) Explore, use and refine a variety of artistic effects to express their ideas and feelings. Return to and build on their previous learning, refining ideas and developing their ability to represent them. Create collaboratively, sharing ideas, resources and skills. Listen attentively, move to and talk about music, expressing their feelings and responses. Sing in a group or on their own, increasingly matching the pitch and following the melody. Develop storylines in their pretend play.					
	Music: Kapow: MUSIC & MOVEMENT Action Songs	Music: Kapow: MUSIC & MOVEMENT Finding the Beat Explore beat through body movement To express feelings and emotions through movement to music	Art: Make clay fish/patterned scales	Music: Kapow: MUSIC & MOVEMENT Exploring Tempo Explore beat through body movement To express feelings and emotions through movement to music Art: Use Aquascopes to look into the water. What car you see? Draw/paint what can be found in the water Mix colours		Music: Kapow: MUSIC & MOVEMENT Music and Movement Performance Perform action songs to a small audience.		
Provision	The Characteristics of Effective Teaching and Learning: Playing and exploring - children investigate and experience things, and 'have a go' Active learning - children concentrate and keep on trying if they encounter difficulties, and enjoy achievements Creating and thinking critically -children have and develop their own ideas, make links between ideas, and develop strategies for doing things							
Play and Learn	Leave images of Lo construction, art an area, along with im- from the book so fa	ndon in Chn to draw own journey d outside maps and have the bus ages complete the journey	Links with Literacy: Leave the game (drive the bus through food images/play food & magnetic letters)in the environment for the		Make a peep pond Leave sentence strips and the words 'this' and 'is' for the pupils to sentence build with.	Take photos using Pic collage with a caption box and leave in environment for the pupils to label or write a caption.		

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The pupils could create	the trip to London for the	pupils to play			
London using large block	pupils to recreate.	independently.			
play and resources from the					
indoor and outdoor		Place play food in the			
environment.	Leave out characters and	home corner and			
	a bus stop for the pupils to	outside in the mud			
Add non-fiction books about	create role play with.	kitchen.			
London and transport					
vehicles in environment.		Pupils could record			
		voice messages on an			
		iPad to send to Jack's			
		mum about how they			
		feel about the mess the			
		bus made, sharing their			
		ideas.			
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		Have envelopes out for			
		chn to write letters			